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Daglass JFK and the Unpredictable

Thomas Merton poem: GET "Chert"

The unpredictable is not unthinkable -
(HK was wrong). (see EPT - Call to Merton...)
It has been thought, threatened, fully prepared -
to execute on a month's (literally, 10 weeks)
notice.

Break the "April Fool" routine

US (JFK) came within a hair's-breadth of
issuing a FS vs. SU - SIOF

(see speech ^{Monday night} - ~~reminded~~ on IRBM/IRBM).

But trigger would have been a PROG-II vs.
US troops invading Cuba - a test of FU, not vs. US ZI.
(see NATO!)

What would have happened?

If no SIOF... (Without me, would
would it be followed? these changes have
occurred? Moscow
China

If 1960-61 SIOF (Berlin...) we written
note
(reason for no-cities!!)

Chronicles of Madness: A Memoir

My Encounters with the Beast, 1944-2007 (63 yrs)

Sixty years of my encounters with the Beast

The Rough Beast

(Minton - The Unpredictable)

(Cassidy? Will? Eaton?)

JFK (+LBJ; and Reagan; + Clinton)

(not N, Ford, Bush II)

Clinton? Bush I?

FDR?

But the responses were limited

(Plus a silent dance!)

and radically inadequate, continually

K was a pre-Harvardian — by, too,

was "turning" after C-II;

but C-II helped dispose him

as it was done, JFK

h.5

Drill the A/H Band "unofficially" postpone GW?

(60 years, yes)

7 Total war — unconceivable end

1) see esp. meaning of GW / total war

2) the see, crisis in which VCS (x the!) envisioned it!

3) occasions that brought it close (C-II;

Can other? Berlin '61? When 80?!

4) FU was after close (now — fast proof!)

John?

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moral suicide

"moral moral evil"

9. US (USAF) did see C-It as "another Bg of Pigs" — which JFK is sure '62 (during Mayaguez!) would not create a mod. conf. (see Paul Foy)

a third Bg of Pigs, it could happen.

"But it won't happen as long as we watch."

(!?)

12- "What must be said."

Muller: What is not understood...

GEOP/SIOP

and my impression:

were misson (must be said — because it is less gain false "beliefs" about SU)

define/explain

no improved since (SO's?)

that this is heavily threatened

see Peil/Neuman on HK

Marshall: You are Mod...

Org of reasonable, decent know can produce: misson (def.)
and "mission"

(not really!)

The real "gap" was a "long"

Open arms politics
Can be expected to "catch up,"
adapt (i.e. time)

(Is there time for evolution?)

Psychology does not move at
an evolutionary pace!

Is process fundamentally different?

(Design at every stage,
Not "random")

How about: human culture?

Politics, any?

In Iraq + VN, USG saw weirdly things that
weren't there.

But in C-II, we didn't see things that
were there: despite summaries:

missiles

troops

wavebands for missiles

" " FROGS

obligation

Control central of AA

" influence on SAMs

4 weeks later
In VA, all three Pros - choose Kennedy "better"
writing & debate, Roosevelt & Eisenhower: Stalin
Real or Ideal (Sustainable: Air

Dream world

Dec 61

Murder to

Ethel Kennedy

(For JFK) "to take a stand against nuclear terror

(murder)

would leave JFK "in a very tight
spot politically."

Comm
(Torture)

(MCK offers to resign for saying "No missile gap.")

(like words doodled
glazed (?) on a paper napkin:

(see JFK, C-II)

murder

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slay

murder - missile

terrorist

insane

mentor

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Origin of the preflight strike

and joint

false alarm

duplicate - no warning for
massacre,

for "anybody"

(as - "guaranteed
and")

instability

(TCS; DE - small
analysis)

mentor

TM

mentor

Need to be "articulate and clear"

spiral wing - whenever we can

JCS - from of Basinell counter

C-I

(Basinell to me

removal of 2nd strike

at same time: JCS willing to gamble

that what Pres requires now

and says (JFK in C-I: not in VN

CBJ, not ...

invitation to JCS to go along)

gamble, with less than 1/2

upward stage of essential
look-up

see Center, from history

without saying it is essential, fit
and/or, gamble should not be undertaken

C-I,
VN

C-II Mis-communication - dropped (because of)
"private" channel

"K level" to me Crisis pattern

F.M.A.
Humiliation - rage

R - ^{of Cuba} ~~background~~ of invasion plan (betrayal, treated with
(violence?) contempt - foolish)

→ duplicate FA (superior to
others... Violent)

bst - Korea

ide - long (Finnish, UK)

Earth - the Ark CK to JFK JD 6/18

Secret - Private communication K - JFK
from our gov, press
intimate

Treated with secrets - shared

(see VN - secret "negot")

each treated the other - honest

earned trust & respect

C-II about (JFK) non - ^{non - symmetry} equivalence

1) We could have missiles in Turkey
SU could not, in Cuba.

2) We could not betray ally, Turkey
SU could betray Cuba

Douglas meadows

C-II

RTR 2nd threat - an AA/SAMs

+ Cuba, out of control

- similar that K built "battering" of

US ~~missiles~~ plus US-Cuba?

- 2) JFK ^{secret} willing to trade Turkish missiles openly
strongly unwilling only to "deal" with K
is willing to give up on VN in '65

(3) not known to JCS in 1962-63

~~and~~ the suspension (b)

If he had - C-I / - comp

I thought, in '62 - "no chance of GW"

(shocked at 10% chance - Nitge

First reaction like known with
SV winded Kennedy!)

Like Kelly (!) & expected us SV reporting attacks

(Berlin? Turkey?)

(We did do contingency plans)

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See first US use of arms:

is ME,

and from

Douglas says

an evil leaves! (Evidence)

Ignored or dismissed

He does

but see later FU thinks

(lack of does,

(Mention of individual thinks is dismissed

& those who don't know general pattern

of thoughts (and the saying).

Arguing, but thought his assertions

would sound plausible, reasonable,

Creditable...

Substant empire - Convent (Curt. V + crime

illegal intervention

(under UN Charter)

NSC 10/2 Empire of plausible

55T

June 18,

1948

denial

(successful,
w/ US media)

crises, assass. (bureaus)

secret showings of press,

parties, officials

(I graduated);

of Berlin
crisis

Allows us to declare aberrations & behavior

of "non-intention, its law, UN Charter

sovereignty of states, "equal" (under the law)

states (actually, a hierarchical system of

states, controlled from "top/center"

political economy: topics, duties, foreign policy, defense.

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Plausible denial

P.d. vs. int. law

at domestic law

(and minimum consultation in gov-
degrees to policy,
risk of disaster)

BUT: JD assumes the direct know of Castro
assass plots vs. Castro

and JFK direct know of poison plots
(yes, plan to kill before C-I)

JD believes Helms (dis?) on not telling JFK
and "assass. was actually JFK wishes
and believes JFK - Szabo

(Castro? No!

Figueroa?

Kennedy!

Dein! ECL to me

A-26 JFK unlabeled inhibitor in AO spread.
stopping US tests in atmosphere

JD

JD ignores:

2d C-I was not C-II,
but decision on VN troops, '61'

(Brewer Wall, '61?)

draw of Juk misuses, 1963

Victory is CW required at least Threats, if not war!

"No threats = no war"

(in VN, war)

for NAR to me

JFK ~~and~~ LBJ ~~is~~ in struggle with JCS

(LBJ in struggle with doves (C-II) — not
the Movement, but his senior doves!
and JCS wants

↳ Compare Northwoods to JSCP
(and JCS to LBJ, 1964 Oct)

↳ Is was mis-ant "arise"?

(with every who would not

agree to abolish — order

Was narrow CF frustration arise?

depends on implementation

and mis-efforts on SU

or prospects of agreement OR mis-ants

Min det rules out D-L

(except for disap!

(Does it require attack on cities?

no. cap. /

non-muc response

Cf. mutual min det, important

More det (+ CE) → INSANE

Is there direct evidence / testing of
a definite, mutual move in JCS in fall '62?
(as & abundant in Kukernan? — after C-11)

The Lauren solution

(condition — a real big-leaf
decent internal

(ruled out by N — determined
to keep Thine in — as how was
dec. to be ended? NVA offensive?
= 75?

(Was the real purpose of US troops in
Kaos '61 — miss us. China? (PDS)
LIKE KHE SANH!

mission of NVA

INSANE ^{JCS} advice / proving on miss / Kaos, in sp '61
(But commit 't (? EXPLAIN) just fine to.

X

p. 11 Does JD ignore: Don Catholic

(Does he really JFK matter?)

VN as "Cath war"

"bloodbath"

ANOTHER
CASE

// She used US inc FU time to point
// Don to refer to disgrace elections
An PP JD //

VFR land short with position in Nov '61

were by man (as JD asserts)?

(If didn't look in vision)

See LBJ his short with White's group rights,
Aug '65 / later / May 67...

JCS - "riders toward the Apocalypse"

4 Horsem...

JFK-K "conspirators toward coherence"

(Lenger K)

16: JD ignores Clay role in 1947 (48?)

Berlin Crisis

(Berlin guns

Adams...)

1 DIDN'T HELP with Kalpatie s'

"C-II as result"

JD ignores K's "missile gap" — 4 CBMs
S/N/E

→ K's "gravimetric" — making
first move in back-off.

+ Wall

Pomoy (in 1964) — not JFK death —

Brought end of SU threats (bluffs) after '61

and to desperate efforts to achieve parity with
C-4.

18. [Central "log" represents

(Had politics even caught up to
disturbance technology?

See WWII!

and WWII, blitzkrieg (within politics
caught up with potential of — internal
combination again — tanks, aircraft (+ radio)

19. In 1952-60-61, it was not
"NVA traps" making things hard,
but regrouping — who would be
also remains forever in 1954-56,
without word for NVA!

10:
No

Jim Douglas

JD ignores:

State policy / Dem

- "Thinners" of JFK writing in '60
(see Over '00')

- Loss of force w/ military of CoE

(like gaps, for Clinton
+ draft dodging)

21. Laos NOT used for NVA forces
in 1960-64!

US + GVN - still insist a pure despite 550K troops
plausible denial

features of separate
equipment gear

(analysis of Dem assass.)

NOT drag - though only 150K troops?
"CPA"

"the whole
coalition's
defect"

p. 27: Pres' lies can cover

what A regard as a good policy of

extrication & limitation

JFK 1961

1963

(intense extrication
not so good)

LSJ/MON 65-68

JD 27